WHEREAS, Frances "Peg" Lamont was born in Rapid City, South Dakota, attended Watertown Public Schools where she graduated from Watertown Senior High School, received her B.A. with high honors from the University of Wisconsin in 1935 and her M.A. in Economics and Political Science from the University of Wisconsin in 1936; and,

WHEREAS, Peg worked for McCalls Magazine in New York City in editorial research from 1936-1937, and during her college years was employed at the Aberdeen American News in the summers, was a lecturer at Presentation College in Sociology and government from 1967-1968, was a homemaker from 1937-1973, and since 1974 has been elected to the South Dakota State Senate; and,

WHEREAS, Peg is a member of the American Association of University Women (past state president and past National Educational Foundation Board Member), PEO (Chapter B), DAR (Past Regent and past state officer), League of Women Voters, Zonta, Girl Scouts (Past Chairman of the Regional Board and National Girl Scout Board), National Board of Directors National Association of Mental Health, Chairman of the 1971 delegation to the White House Conference on Aging, and Governor's delegate to the 1977 White House Conference for Handicapped; and,

WHEREAS, Peg is the author of various technical articles published in Historic Preservation News on museum and historic preservation, and the author of several papers, including one to be published by Dakota State College on local history in South Dakota; and,

WHEREAS, Peg was the pilot chairman and co-founder of the Northeastern Mental Health Center, pilot chairman and president for seven years of the Dacotah Prairie Museum, pilot chairman and first president of the Brown County Historical Society, is currently a member of the National Board of Directors of the National Trust for Historic Preservation, a member of the Board of Directors of the University of Wisconsin Foundation, a member of the Advisory Council for the Northern State College Business Department, and a ten-year member of the Presentation College Board of Directors; and,

WHEREAS, Peg has received several special honors and awards including First Lady of Aberdeen in 1954, Sertoma Service to Mankind Award, 1974 South Dakota Mother of the Year, 1975 University of Wisconsin Distinguished Alumni Award, 1976 South Dakota Mental Health Association Outstanding Service, 1977 Upper Midwest Kidney Foundation Legislative Award, 1977 Foster Grandparent Distinguished Service Award for aid in founding program, 1978 Aberdeen Senior Center Award for 20 years pioneering programs on Aging, 1979 RSVP Distinguished Service plaque, 1979 Award from the National Association of Retired Federal Employees for Service to Community and Elderly, and 1978 Delegate to the People's Republic of China as a legislator; and,

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WHEREAS, Peg was married to William Lamont until his death in 1973, and she has four children and one grandchild; and,

WHEREAS, Presentation College honors Peg from among area citizens by conferring upon her the title, Distinguished Citizen, and presents to her the Presentation College Distinguished Citizen Award on this An Tostal Day, the Thirtieth Day of September, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Seventy-nine; and,

WHEREAS, The presentation of this award to Peg is worthy of public recognition in the State of South Dakota; and,

WHEREAS, It is fitting and proper that the Governor make note of this special occasion:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, WILLIAM J. JANKLOW, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim Sunday, September 30, 1979, as

FRANCES "PEG" LAMONT DAY

in South Dakota, and join with her many friends in extending to her our appreciation for the outstanding contributions which she has made to the people of our great State. We wish her a day filled with joy and friendship and an abundance of good health and happiness in the years to come.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Twenty-sixth Day of September, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Seventy-nine

WILLIAM J. JANKLOW, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

ALICE KUNDERT, SECRETARY OF STATE

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